

World Peace Conference Opens

FOCH ADVOCATES CONTINUOUS
NEW "WATCH ON THE RHINE"

BY WEBB MILLER.

Treves, Prussia, Jan. 16.—(By courier to Nancy)—Warnings that Germany attempt to force a second world war within a few years, Marshal Foch told American newspaper correspondents that France must hold the entire west bank of the Rhine to protect herself from further aggressions. He called upon the allies to establish a "Watch on the Rhine."

Foch began the interview, which was granted at the conclusion of the armistice conference, with a statement of his warm appreciation of the American armies declaring "that nobody will ever forget what America did."

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PRESS IS WARNED

BE ON THE "OUTS"
WILSON AND BRYAN
ARE REPORTED TO

Paris, Jan. 18.—Premier Clemenceau, in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday gave a warning against false reports concerning the peace conference, citing as an instance a cablegram addressed to the New York Tribune:

"I saw yesterday a telegram addressed to the New York Tribune," he said, "in which it was said that President Wilson has threatened to withdraw all his troops and himself retire if certain stipulations of his were not granted."

"When I showed this telegram to Mr. Wilson this morning he replied to me: 'What an abominable falsehood!'"

NUMBER OF LIVES
LOST IS PLACED AT
OVER FOUR HUNDRED

Rome, January 18.—When the French steamer Chaouia struck a mine in the Straits of Messina 460 of the 690 passengers and crew on board were lost. The steamer was on its way from Piraeus to Constantinople and sank in four minutes after striking a mine.

Many of the 230 survivors were injured by the explosion and were removed to hospitals in Messina.

The Chaouia was formerly the steamer Koenig Wilhelm.

Two Americans were aboard the Chaouia, but their identity has not yet been ascertained.

CALL ISSUED FOR
A CONFERENCE

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 18.—A call has been issued for a conference of theologists here February 3-7 on the general topic "World Evangelism and Vital Christianity After the War." Dean James M. Glenn in issuing the call affirms that while German militarism is dead German theology that made it possible still lives and that on Christians of the Evangelical faith never was there a sterner demand. Representatives of leading Bible institutes will confer on a united and aggressive forward movement. Among the prominent speakers will be: Dr. Joseph Kyle, president, Xenia Theological Seminary; Don O. Shelton, New York, Rev. Henry W. Frost, Rev. Paul Rader, and representatives of New York, Philadelphia, Cleveland, and other seminaries.

AGITATORS GET
1 TO 10 YEARS

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 18.—Sentences ranging from one to ten years imprisonment were imposed yesterday by United States District Judge F. E. Rudkin, of Spokane, Wash., on 43 of the 46 defendants convicted in the Industrial Workers of the World anti-war conspiracy case.

Sentence on Miss Theodora Pollok, Basile Saffores and A. L. Fox, the only three defendants represented by an attorney, was held up by their counsel, who said a motion for a new trial would be offered.

DOUGHBOYS' WIVES TO
ARRIVE BY SHIP LOAD

London, Jan. 18.—The English invasion of America is about to start. An army of British is beating for New York.

The transport Plattsburgh will arrive there about Jan. 29, with the first 27 English girls who married American doughboys.

Three hundred more will follow soon. The Red Cross is paying all expenses.

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SERBIAN PEACE DELEGATES TO DEMAND GERMANY PAY FOR LOOT



Smaller pictures show Dr. M. R. Vesnitch, Serbian premier (at left), and M. Packitch, Serbian peace delegates. Larger photo shows Serbian oxen stolen by German troops and left in France.

PRESIDENT IS PARTIAL VICTOR IN
HIS OPEN CONVENTION POLICY

By Robert J. Bender.

Paris, Jan. 18.—The first sitting of the peace congress today found President Wilson partial victor in the fight of recognition of his first principle—"open covenants, openly arrived at."

The gag rule which was imposed to almost annihilate the Serbian forces and swept through that country they pillaged the cities and farms. All the livestock was driven before the forces. Not even oxen and horses for farm use were left behind. The farmers the foe left unharmed were unable to till their lands. Serbian delegates at the peace conference will demand that Germany be forced to repay this damage.

They purported to record the activities of Dickinson and his conversations with persons high in official life, including President Wilson, during the months that preceded the break with Germany.

Before the letters were produced by Major E. Lowry Humes, Dickinson had been on the witness stand at his own request, and, admitting his employment by Viereck, had told of articles written for The Fatherland and of an alleged forecast furnished by him to Viereck and a New York broker of one of President Wilson's addresses to Congress.

The following letter, said to have been written June 4, 1916 by Dickinson to Viereck read:

"I learned yesterday from an authoritative source that the President had been informed that Secretary Lansing's attitude toward every newspaper man in Washington who exhibits by his questions when calling at the State Department even a sense of fairness toward German interest is growing more insulting every day. I told a member of the Cabinet of this sometime ago and I expect it is this that is bearing fruit.

"I was not here when Bryan last was in Washington, but I have learned from two or three of his intimates who talked with him that he will give the Wilson cause only the most perfunctory support in the campaign. This will mark the course of Speaker Clark."

I don't know whether I told you in one of my letters the story related by Mrs. Bryan to T. H. Pickford, a local Democratic magnate, of the immediate cause of her husband's precipitate retirement from the Cabinet. It was that Tumulty told a prominent German-American that Bryan was the sole cause of the administration's anti-German policy. Pickford went to Tumulty with the story, and the atmosphere of the White House was blue with curses of the Bryans at the time Pickford was there. Pickford has since written to Mrs. Bryan a full account of his interview with Tumulty.

Following are the facts:

"Several days ago the President began a quiet movement for recognition of his first principle. Discussions developed. Premier Lloyd George agreed with Wilson. French, Italian and Japanese delegates refused to agree to have the press represented at any conference. Finally with the aid of Lloyd George, the president succeeded in having the gag proposal laid over, pending suggestions from the correspondents. American newspaper men led the protest against secession with representatives of the press of Britain, Italy and smaller nations uniting in the demand for publicity—the French dissenting throughout.

During the conversations the president's only reservation was said to

FIFTEEN HUNDRED
MEN DISCHARGED
FROM SHERMAN TODAY

Chillicothe, O., Jan. 18.—Approximately 5,000 men now at Camp Sherman will be discharged and those remaining will be held at Camp indefinitely, until the demobilization of the national army has been completed.

The total strength of the camp today, not including the base hospital and the convalescent battalions is 14,581 men. This figure includes 3,288 men sent here from other camps to be discharged.

These men will be discharged as soon as possible, along with those who will not be needed in the camp organization, which will total between 4,500 and 5,000 men.

The men who will be needed to handle the demobilization of men sent here from overseas and outside camps will be those in the Quartermaster's Department, personnel department, and the Depot Brigade, the provost guard, the construction department, post exchange system, the fire department and others. A number of men in the conservation and reclamation departments will also be held indefinitely.

One thousand five hundred and thirty-five men will be discharged Saturday and a thousand each day until the personnel of the camp has been brought down to what is actually needed to carry on the business at the camp.

The announcement of these plans was made official today.

To hurry the discharge of the men the order recently issued that no men would be discharged on Sunday has been revoked and the demobilization will not be interrupted.

One hundred and twenty-nine men either wounded or ill, arrived at the base hospital, from Hoboken, last night and early this morning. This is the largest contingent to come from Eastern debarkation hospitals since the Base Hospital was designated as one of the institutions to care for wounded soldiers.

It was arranged that five men shall succeed in having the Mooney case to the capital to seek federal intervention in Mooney's behalf. Provision was made for a general strike in July, if their efforts fail.

The other demands amnesty for political and industrial prisoners. The congress was adjourned late yesterday.

GERMAN DELEGATES
ARE ANNOUNCED

Munich, Jan. 18.—German delegates to the peace conference will be the following, newspapers here state to-day.

Prince Lichnowsky, former ambassador to Great Britain.

Count Brockdorff-Rantza, foreign minister.

Karl Kautzsky, recently under secretary for foreign affairs, and head of the commission which investigated and recommended punishment of the kaiser as a war maker.

Court Arco.

Lichnowsky's memoirs of his experiences in London at the start of the war constituted an indictment of the kaiser's course and showed that he forced the war. For this, Lichnowsky was disgraced during the kaiser's reign.

Tests will be held in practically every town and city of importance.

BOLSHEVIK FORCES
ARE RETREATING

Stockholm, Jan. 16.—Bolshevik forces are retreating in Esthonia on account of a counter revolution which has broken out in Petrograd, according to a dispatch from Helsingfors received here today.

It is believed that the Bolshevik government may need strong forces to suppress the uprising, and that is the reason for calling the Esthonian army back.

Diplomatic advices received in Washington brought the first word of the revolt against Bolshevik rule in Petrograd.

MOVIE PRODUCERS MUST
OBSERVE REGULATIONS

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Warning that movie picture houses may find the same fate as saloons, Timothy D. Hurley, chairman of the city censorship commission, today urged film manufacturers to "show more inclination to co-operate with the regulations."

"Saloons wouldn't submit to regulations," said Hurley. "Now look at them."

HIGHWAY INSPECTORS
TO TAKE EXAMINATIONS

Columbus, Jan. 18.—State Civil Service Commission ruled today all superintendents, foremen and inspectors on highway work, who have never taken an examination, must participate in the examinations beginning the last week in January.

Tests will be held in practically every town and city of importance.

SUSPEND GUARANTEES

London, January 18.—The Spanish Government has published a decree suspending constitutional guarantees in the province of Barcelona, according to a wireless dispatch received from Madrid.

Madrid, January 18.—Premier Romanones, after a meeting of the Spanish Cabinet to-day, told the newspaper correspondents that he would not be surprised at anything that would happen in Barcelona.

LOCAL ITEMS

WEATHER REPORT

Miss Anna MacCracken came Thursday evening from Xenia for a several days' visit at the home of Mrs. Anna MacCracken, on Scioto street—Urbana Democrat.

About 30 of the members and friends of Lewis Relief Corps spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Van Horn at her home on S. Detroit street. The ladies spent the afternoon socially and in piecing squares for comfort tops, which they sell for a nominal sum and in this way make a little money for their relief fund.

GET IT AT DONGES. adv

Don't forget the Young People's Meeting at the First Baptist church Sunday evening, promptly at 6:00. There will be a social hour after the meeting. Light refreshments will be served. Come and bring your friends.

Notice—H. T. Confer will be at his shop after four o'clock each day to do work.

The Friends Relief Sewing will meet on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. E. Conwell, 270 Chestnut street, instead of as heretofore announced.

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Marriage License—William Davis, 34, soldier, and Helen Rockhold, 21, both of Jamestown.

HOME CULTURE CLUB
AT TOWNSLEY HOME

Misses Myrtle Harshman and Margaret Alexander motored to Martinsville, Ind., Saturday, to see the former's father, J. F. Harshman, who was taken to the sanitarium there some time ago to receive treatments for rheumatism. Mr. Harshman is said to be holding his own but not making any progress since going to Martinsville.

Douglas Custis protects "Life," if

Mrs. S. E. Gordon and little daughter, Helen Elizabeth, of Corynville, Indiana, arrived in this city Friday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Nagley. They expect to stay until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mont Manor, Mrs. Orie Clemmer and her little son, and Charles Manor, will spend Sunday in Dayton, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Collins.

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Mr. Thad P. Carr, the tuner, is now in Xenia. Leave orders at Schell's Jewelry Store.

Mrs. W. C. Hallisy and Miss Mildred Hallisy, accompanied by little Doris Scott, started at noon Saturday for New York to see Sergeant William Hallisy, who reached Xenia Thursday, coming from France.

A "box social" will be held at Antioch college Saturday evening, but instead of the boxes, the fair donors themselves will be auctioned off. Robed in sheets and pillow cases, the girls will stand on the block to be auctioned. A box goes with each girl sold. County Commissioner R. E. Corry will be the auctioneer.

Notice to Public—The person or persons purchasing the Jos. Mason farm, 163 acres, the original home place being the land deeded to D. H. Oglesbee, by Wm. Conklin, will not be an innocent purchaser, by Melisse C. Garner claiming the title. G. L. Garner, agent. 1-18

United a Life Insurance Policy
See Douglas Custis, Steele Building
adv tf

The Rev U. G. Humphrey, at one time pastor of a Jamestown church, died a few days ago at his home in Pleasant Ridge, of paralysis. He was 54 years old, and is survived by a widow and two daughters.

Popular dance, K. of P. hall, Saturday evening. Swindler's orchestra. 1-17and18

W. F. Harper, Jamestown druggist, has been appointed permanent recruiting agent for the United States Shipping Board Recruiting Service. Unusual opportunities are now being offered youths who wish to enter the merchant marine service.

Wanted—A thousand head of chicks at once. Highest prices paid. C. H. E. Schmidt. 1-16

All members of Tabor Lodge, No. 315, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at 7:00 P. M., Saturday evening, at their lodge hall. They will then go to the home of our late Bro. J. P. Oglesbee, where services of the order will be held. All other Odd Fellows are invited to attend. John Milburn, N. G.

Regular meeting of Shawnee Encampment, No. 20, I. O. O. F. Monday evening, Jan. 20. D. E. Crow, C. P.

The R. N. of A. will hold their regular monthly meeting Monday, Jan. 20, at 7:30 P. M. Installation of officers and covered dish social.

The B. & O. railroad terminal for the Portsmouth division, which for many years has been located at Hamden, has been transferred to Wellington, where better facilities are offered. Many families of railroaders are moving from Hamden to Wellington as a result.

Jesse Wilson, of Trebeins, an employee of the O. S. & S. O. Home plumbing department, and recently discharged at Camp Sherman, where he was in the First Gas Regiment, was enlisted in the U. S. Merchant Marine Service. He left Thursday for Columbus and from there will be sent to California for training. Mr. Wilson was in the last contingent of Greene county boys, who went to Camp Sherman in the last draft.

The funeral of little Clara Mae Roberde will be held at 1:30 Monday, at the home of her parents, on the Springfield pike. Interment at Yel- low Springs.

NAZARENE CHURCH.
32 West Main street, second floor.
Rev. Jonas Trumboe, pastor.
Dr. B. N. Lackey, S. S. supt. Sabbath school at 2 P. M. Praise and experience meeting at 3:00. Salvation meeting, preaching by the pastor at 7:30 P. M. Thursday night. Bible reading by Rev. Stokes of Dayton. Everybody is invited.

Judge Hornbeck, of London, held court in Xenia Saturday, occupying the bench for Judge C. H. Kyle.

Funeral services for Joshua P. Oglewill be held Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the First M. E. church.

City Editor C. F. Ridenour of the staff of the Gazette and the Republican went to Cleveland Saturday to attend the Ohio City Editor's Convention which is being held there. Mr. Ridenour is one of the directors of the organization.

Coates McLean, colored, was arrested for drunk and disorderly, and was fined \$5 and costs in Police court by Judge Smith Saturday morning. "Tim" Timberlake, white, arrested for plain drunk, was fined \$1 and costs.

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PROMINENT MEN
ARE SPEAKERS AT
FARMERS' MEET

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Townsley of Cedarville, entertained the Home Culture Club at their home Friday evening. A delicious three course dinner was served. The affair was the annual banquet and exchange of presents, which was postponed since before Christmas because of the influenza epidemic, and the exchanging of gifts, was an interesting feature of the evening.

Those enjoying the occasion were, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Townsley, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Townsley, Mr. and Mrs. Bert McFarland, Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards, Mrs. Cora Trumbo, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hiff, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Storment and Mr. and Mrs. George Hartman o Cedarville, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Nagley, Prof. and Mrs. M. Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Winter, of Xenia.

Representative W. B. Bryson and O. E. Bradfute were the speakers at Friday night's session of the Spring Valley Farmers' Institute.

Mr. Bryson spoke on legislation

of particular interest to the farmer, which will be before the assembly this term. Mr. Bradfute also gave an intensely interesting address on "Reconstruction from the Farmers' Stand-point."

An interesting musical program was rendered Friday night. The Misses Lois Gartrell and Norma Knee played a piano duet; Miss Grace Lile rendered a violin solo, and vocal solos were sung by Misses Flora Beam and Lois Gartrell. Miss Helen Barnett gave a reading.

The concert which is to be given

Saturday evening in connection with the institute, by Mr. Roper, the pianist assisting in the evangelistic meetings at the First M. E. church, is being anticipated with much pleasure. Mr. Roper played at the institute Friday afternoon and Saturday morning and afternoon.

County Agent Ford F. Prince spoke at the institute Friday afternoon. He talked on the Farm Bureau. Mrs. Florence Willison, a state speaker, addressed the institute Friday afternoon on "Food Conservation." Other subjects on which Mrs. Willison addressed the institute are "The Business Side of Housekeeping," "Food in the Prevention of Dental Decay," and "Elements of Drudgery."

O. A. Dobbins of near Cedarville, Mr. Alderidge and Myron Bachell, are other institute speakers.

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RALPH RICHARDS IS
AT CAMP SHERMAN

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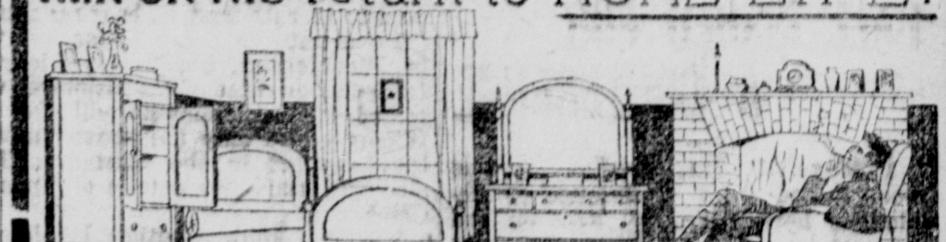
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PLANS TAKE SHAPE FOR HOME TALENT SHOW IN XENIA

George R. Bocklet, promoter of amateur theatricals here, returned from Columbus Tuesday evening, where he consulted with a well-known director, Ray Lee Jackson, in regard to the production of the 1919 local talent show.

Mr. Jackson has a wonderful playlet of his own writing which he wishes to present here, but he was given no definite answer until Mr. Bocklet can see several other directors whom he has written to. One of these is Jerry Lavender, of Cincinnati, who has been successful in a number of amateur theatricals in this section and is now putting on a playlet at Camp Sherman.

In the meantime, while the question of a proper vehicle for the local talent and a director is being decided, the preparations for the show are going merrily on, and are creating, if anything more than the usual amount of interest attendant upon affairs of this nature. With the war over and people turning their minds into a lighter vein, there is much enthusiasm manifested in a production which it is expected will arouse interest among the young people during the fag end of the winter.

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WEST END CHURCH

Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Young People's Meeting at 3:30 p. m. Evening preaching at 7 p. m. by Dr. Jesse Johnson of the Seminary. The Sabbath School last Sabbath broke all records for attendance for three years. Arrangements have been made for more teachers for the increased school and persons of all ages are urged to enter the Bible school.

FIRST U. P. CHURCH

D. D. Dodds, pastor. Sabbath school 9:30. Morning worship, 10:30. Sermon by the pastor on the subject, "The Influence of the Heaven Life Upon the Present Life." Y. P. C. U. 6 o'clock. Union service at 2nd United Presbyterian church at 7 o'clock. You are invited to attend all these services.

SECOND U. P.

The pastor, Rev. Charles P. Proudfoot, will preach at 10 o'clock. Bible School follows the sermon. Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. At 7 p. m. a great mass meeting will be held in this church in celebration of God's great kindness in leading America to ratify the amendment to the Constitution making America dry in one year. The following churches will participate, Reformed, Baptist, First and Second United Presbyterian, Friends, First Presbyterian and Lutheran. Everybody who rejoices in a bone dry nation should come whether a church member or not.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Market and King streets, J. O. C. McCracken, pastor elect. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Subject, "The Power of the Gospel." Sunday school at 9:15 A. M. Midweek service on Wednesday evening at 7:30. Instead of the Sabbath evening service we will join with the Second United Presbyterian congregation in a service of thanksgiving over the ratification of the national prohibition amendment by the required number of states.

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Second Sunday after Epiphany. Jacob Henry Culler, D. D., acting pastor. Sunday school 9:15. Morning service 10:30. Subject, "Christ, the Revealer of the Thoughts of Men's Hearts." Luther League 6:00. Topic, "The Young People's Part in Gathering the New Congregation." Evening service, 7:00. Subject, "Adorning the Doctrine of God." Strangers and friends are always cordially welcomed to all services at this church.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Minister, Rev. Albert Read—Bible school 9:30 a. m. Worship 10:30 a. m. "A Big Little Man." Young People's meeting 6 P. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 P. M. A hearty welcome to all.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Asa James Kestle, pastor. 9:15 Sabbath School. F. M. Reynolds, Supt. If we do our duty this will be a record breaking day, 10:30 morning worship. Evangelist Harney will preach. Prof. Roper at the piano. 2:30 sacred concert. Prof. Roper will conduct it. Vocal and instrumental sacred music. Let us get together for an hour's sing. 7:00 evening worship. Come early to secure a seat. Last Sabbath the entire building was taken. Mr. Harney will preach again. The services of the week have been of unusual interest and power and point to Sunday as one of the crowning days. Don't miss it.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Hibbard J. Jewett, pastor—Sunday school at 9:15 A. M. Mr. Harney will speak at this service. Everybody is invited. All the school should be present on time. Trinity will join in the revival services at First Church at 10:30 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. Church envelopes can be brought to these services.

FIRST REFORMED CHURCH.

Melvin E. Beck, pastor. 9:15 A. M. Bible school. Walter Watkins, supt. 10:30. Morning worship. Holy Communion. Bible meditations, Col. 3:5-17. 3:15 P. M. Junior congregation. Sermon by the pastor. 4:00 P. M. Vesper service. Holy Communion. Sermon—"What, and Why I Believe in the Atométon." Come, and bring your friends. The congregation will unite in the union service in the Second U. U. church at 7 o'clock.

MARPLE COR. REFORMED CH.

A. R. Lynn, pastor. Bible school at 9:30. E. D. Stroup, supt. Morning worship 10:30. Sermon topic, "Our Constant Inspiration." Don't forget the program and supper we are going to have at the church on Friday evening, Jan. 24. We want everybody to come. Then on Sunday evening, Feb. 2, we will begin our two weeks' of evangelistic services. Please prepare to attend all these services. Gospel song service and special music. Everybody welcome.

HAWKER'S REFORMED CHURCH.

A. R. Lynn, pastor. Bible School 1:30 P. M. S. A. Randal, supt. Lord's Day service 2:30. Sermon topic, "Our Constant Inspiration." FRIENDS' CHURCH.

Bible school at 9:30. Herbert Davis, supt. Service for worship at 10:40. Christain Endeavor at 6. At 7 we will unite with other congregations in a service at the Second United Presbyterian church to celebrate the ratification of the prohibition amendment to the federal constitution. Monthly meeting on Wednesday evening. Women's prayer meeting on Friday morning at the home of Mrs. Albert Franks at 25 Bellbrook avenue.

REVIVAL BREAKS THE ATTENDANCE RECORD

Last evening's meeting of the Methodist revival was the climax in attendance of all the week day services. The whole church, including the galleries, was packed with enthusiastic listeners. The great crowd last night clearly showed that the revival tide is rising higher and higher.

A delegation of 85 people from Grace M. E. church, Springfield, was present. Rev. Harney and the Springfield crowd was an enthusiastic bunch. The pastor of Grace M. E. church, the Rev. Walter Nash, was given a part in the evening service, and Mrs. Nash sang very beautifully two Gospel songs, delighting the audience.

Mr. Harney preached on the text, "Choose Ye Whom Ye Will Serve," emphasizing the truth that man as a free moral agent is responsible in his own salvation to choose God and serve Him. Man is responsible for his own salvation because of the ample provision for his salvation in Christ, who died on the cross to redeem man from the fall, and who has the power and willingness to pardon. Jesus came to destroy sin, and when anyone accepts Him as Savior, He destroys sin in that person, so that even the love for sin is taken away.

A truly converted person, a real Christian will not want to dance, play cards, gamble, drink, lie, cheat, or engage in any sin. Men who sin do so by choice. The prodigal son was a sinner by choice. He got down mighty low—got in bad—by choice, and when he awakened to the fact that he was in sin against his father, he returned by his own choice to the father's love and forgiveness. God wants to save every man, but He cannot come down and force men to accept salvation, because God created all men free. But He offers all men salvation in Jesus, and if they choose Christ they will be saved.

Evangelistic services both morning and evening Sunday, and a great song service under the direction of Mr. Roper at 2:30 P. M.

SPRING VALLEY

Messrs. I. O. Peterson and George Smith attended the horse and mule sale at Chillicothe Monday and Tuesday.

Classes 1 and 2 of the Friends Sunday School spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis.

Miss Frances Bain still remains very low.

Mrs. Anna Morgan entertained her home Wednesday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wilkerson entertained relatives from Columbus, Sunday.

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The child was born June 5, 1915.

She is survived by her parents and the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. Ira Riley, Clarence, Alice, Leo, Howard, Esther and Raymond. Several of the other children are ill of the same malady.

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THE "CALAMITY" OF PROHIBITION.

America, on Friday celebrated the birthday anniversary of Benjamin Franklin, the apostle of thrift and temperance.

This recognition is made with deeper significance and truer force than ever before, on the day after the ratification of the National Prohibition amendment.

This greatest of American sages left to his countrymen a heritage on which the nation can well afford to capitalize in this period of necessary readjustment.

On then, practically the date of the ratification of the constitutional amendment which banishes liquor from our great country, and which we hope will make it a land free from drunkenness, and on the anniversary of the birth of that great apostle of Temperance, Benjamin Franklin, how pertinent are the words of this great statesman as follows: "Temperance puts wood on the fire, meal in the barrel, flour in the pantry, money in the purse, credit in the country, contentment in the house, clothes on the children, vigor in the body, intelligence in the brain, and spirit in the whole constitution."

Temperance keeps the senses clear and bright for whatever duty you have to perform. It appears with life in the face and self-confidence in the person. It gives you the command of your head, secures your health and preserves you in a condition for business.

On the other hand drunkenness takes away the man, and leaves only the brute; it dethrones reason from its seat; stupefies conscience; ruins health; wastes property; covers the wretch with rags; reduces wife and children to want and beggary. That is a pretty severe indictment, but not one of our readers but can testify that he or she has seen this very thing done. A bright and promising man reduced to poverty and to almost imbecility by drink. But this is only the individual black depth to which intemperance brings its devotees.

The papers are filled with the wailings of the liquor interests over the revenue that is to be lost to the tax-prayers because of the wiping out of the horrible business, as if that was a great calamity. Calamity indeed: the revenue derived from liquor as compared to the expense to the tax-payers is like the filling at the spigot and leaking at the bung. It was Phillip Brooks who said: "If we could sweep intemperance out of the country, there would be hardly poverty enough left to give exercise to the charitable impulses."

We have often seen the statements of penitentiary officials that practically nine-tenths of all the inmates have, deep down at the bottom, liquor to blame for their undoing. Add to this the inmates of the jails, work houses, poorhouses, asylums, hospitals and police stations, the country over, and you have an army of millions of poor wrecks of humanity, maintained at public expense. Now picture to yourself the practical wiping out of three-fourths of the expense of all these, and you have the theory of "saving at the spigot."

And this is not all. Think of the army of men it requires to defend the public from the shame of drunkenness, from the fruit of the saloon—the police courts and police officers—our own community a good example.

Talk about the "calamity" of Prohibition. God-blessed would be every nation with such a so-called "calamity." And think of the millions of drunkard's, wives who will thank God with grateful hearts for the new hope which will fill them over the prospect of a sober nation.

City Within a City.

One of the most unusual and interesting parts of New York is that quaint triangle cut off by Mott street which curves the Bowery in a half-moon, commonly known as Chinatown. John K. Winslow in the *World Outlook* says that Mott street is the great wall of Chinatown. He further says that the first Chinese settled there in 1850 and today there are over 5,000 in the little triangle and nearly three times as many scattered and lost throughout the rest of the great city. Not only do its "balconied" houses, its narrow, crooked streets, and its scarlet bulletin boards make it distinct from the American city, but also it has a constitution and government of its own.

AN ENGLISHMAN'S OPINION OF WILSON.

One of England's foremost men, Lord Northcliffe, at one time English ambassador to the United States, in a recent letter, has the following to say of President Wilson:

"We English are not easily moved to demonstrations, but it is beyond question that the presidential reception in Great Britain was of absolutely unprecedented cordiality. First, it was a tribute to the United States; secondly, it was a soul-stirring ovation to the man who has invented a plan, by which, if carried into effect, the European democracies are convinced, war in the future will be made nigh impossible. As the President moved through the amazing throngs in London and Manchester, the people chanted the words "We Want Wilson" and "League of Nations." The President's dramatic appearance in Europe is a very different thing from reading about him when he was in America. The Chinese have a saying that once seeing a man is better than a thousand times hearing about him.

The President's thrilling visit to England gave an impetus to the idea of a league of nations and has made this project a part of our national life. He has behind him the almost unanimous support of the public and of the newspapers. That fact will not mean that British labor, which well knows that virtually every morsel of food which it consumes and every ounce of raw material which it works up has to come overseas, will abandon its maintenance of a strong protecting navy. What it does mean in part is that the British, who hate war as much as you do, will demand that the tremendous weight of armaments be taken off the backs of the people."

"THE WIFE"

BY JANE PHELPS

RUTH CONFIDES IN HER EMPLOYER.

CHAPTER CXLIV.

Ruth realized, for the first time, that nothing counted save Brian. Money, beauty of surroundings, ease and luxury, meant nothing compared to the desire to possess him entirely; his love as he had given it when they first came to New York and lived in the little flat up the three flights of stairs, and she did her own work; when he used to come running up three steps at a time whistling, and catch her in his arms and waltz about the little living room or kitchen.

She forgot her hatred of drudgery in her desire. She forgot also her love of her work. Her heart ached with the longing for his love, and the old-time hearty expression of it.

But, she also owed something to Mandel. She knew she was almost indispensable, now, under the after-war business conditions. She would say nothing to Brian—not until she had talked with Mandel. But before she slept that night, Ruth had decided upon a course that only a short time before she would have deemed impossible.

Strangely, after making her decision, she slept more soundly than she had in months. Once or twice during the night she woke and raised herself to her elbow, trying, in the darkness, to distinguish the features of "her soldier" as he lay sleeping in the bed so close to her own. Then dropping back to sleep at once.

"I shall go down town to-day," Brian said abruptly at breakfast. "I've loafed long enough. My leg is pretty nearly all right, and I can't afford to stay idle any longer." She waited a minute then added, "living on you."

"Oh, Brian, don't talk that way."

"It's true. Except paying the rent, I haven't done one thing toward running this shambol since I came back. It's getting on my nerves."

"How much money have you saved, Brian?" His astonishment at Ruth's question was evident.

"Half my pay, about. I haven't had it all, but I'll get it. Why?"

"Oh, nothing. But I wish you would take a better office, dear. That horrid little two-by-four place isn't fitting for a man wearing that." She pointed to his breast.

"What's that got to do with it? That's all over now. The hum-drum everyday life enters; exit everything

else." His tone was light, yet Ruth sensed a bitterness.

"Wait a few more days, Brian. I don't believe you are fit to work."

"If you think I will stay another day in this place alone, you've another guess coming. It's worse than the German guns, this facing the long hours here with nothing to do but think. No one to talk to but Rachel and a baby that can't answer. No, I shall go down this morning." Then, as he noted the real distress on Ruth's face, he added: "I won't stay long at first, just an hour or two." With that Ruth had to be content.

That morning Ruth asked Mandel if she might see him in his private office. He acceded to her request at once.

"I must leave you, Mr. Mandel, as soon as you find some one to fill my place," she said quietly.

"Leave me? What?"

"I want to tell you just why, may I? Have you time to listen?"

"As much time as you want."

Ruth told, in a quiet, restrained voice, of her marriage, of her aunt's objections, of her own luxurious bringing up, and of her dislike for house work. Then she told of Brian, as he was when she had married him. She said nothing of Mollie King, but she told him that she nearly had lost him before he went to war. She did not spare herself in the telling, and she glossed over Brian's faults. In fact she did not admit that he had any. She told of the call of Major Williams, and of how Brian felt about his comrades knowing that she worked outside of the home.

"He may be old-fashioned," she smiled as she said it, "but I love him, Mr. Mandel, and I shall never make him feel that he cannot ask anyone to his home again. I have been selfish while not meaning to be so. I have made him unhappy while looking for happiness myself."

Mandel asked many questions, all of which Ruth answered frankly. Then he said:

"Go at once, Mrs. Hackett. You never will know what your being here means to me. I want still to be your friend. And—if he let me, your husband's friend also." He then told Ruth of something he had in mind, which sent her home fairly walking on air.

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FARM TO RENT—On equal shares, 148 acres. John Harbine, Allen Building. 1-21.

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Notice Of Appointment

Estate of John M. Tarbox, deceased. W. J. Tarbox has been appointed and qualified as Administrator of the estate of John M. Tarbox, late of Greene County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 2nd day of January, A. D. 1919.

J. CARL MARSHALL, Probate Judge of Said County.

Jan 21, 1919.

Public Sales

Here's our sale advertising FREE in this column daily, so that you may claim your date and others will stay off of it. These ads are run every day and are gratis with the large display advertising. We also furnish sale bills without charge. Let me tell you about it.

PUBLIC SALE—Jan. 21 9:30 a. m. at Tobias farm, 3½ miles north of Bellbrook, 3 mi. southeast of Beavertown—3 horses, 7 head cattle, farm implements, harness, feed, etc. Earl Koogler, Auct. (Lunch) N. C. MRS. MARGARET HIGGINS.

PUBLIC SALE—January 16th, at 10 a. m. at my residence 1 mile south of Yellow Springs, on the S. & X. at Hyde's crossing, 11 horses, 31 cattle, 30 Poland China hogs, 15 sheep, farm implements, harness, feed and grain. Titus, Wallace, Grieve, Aucts. N. C.

L. D. WELCH.

PUBLIC SALE advertising in the Gazette and Republican bring the crowds. In this day of competition the farmer has no time to stop along the road to read sale bills. He is coming to depend upon these papers to notify him of the sale dates and articles to be offered for sale. It's a big distance who sees you add in this paper, pump it into his auto and hustles to you, who pays what your stuff is worth. Your neighbor no longer can stand around and pick off what he needs at an absurd price, as he does when you have a sale advertised, and gotten a good crowd. Use the Gazette and Republican if you want the worth of everything you offer. Don't try to save on your advertising, ff.

FOR SALE—Gas heater, cheap if sold at once. 50 California St. Citizens phone 114-R. 1-21.

FOR SALE—Corn, corn, corn, at Belden Milling Co. 1-21.

FOR SALE—Baby buggy, in good condition. Call Bell 529-R. 1-21.

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow with second calf. J. C. Short, Stone road, Xenia. Citizens phone. 1-20.

FOR SALE—200 bushels corn in crib. Bell 741-R-5. William Laurens, R. R. 10. 1-23.

FOR SALE—Full blooded White Wyandotte cockerels. Phone 1039-R-29 or see Fred Collins. 1-29.

FOR SALE—Two driving horses. Good condition. Cheap. Call 191-R. Dr. H. R. Hawkins. 1-22.

FOR SALE—Maxwell 5 passenger auto. All new tires. Cheap. Bell 654-R. 1-18.

FOR SALE—White wood bed with springs and mattress. For quick sale \$5.00. 408 So. Detroit. Bell 20-R. 1-18.

FOR SALE—1916 Oakland Six touring car in fine running order. \$450. Bell phone 13-K or address Wm. Copsey, Spring Valley, O. 1-24.

EXCELLENT SEED CORN—Yellow, from home grown seed. Produced 80 bu. per acre this year. \$2.50 per bu. A. E. Swaby, Cedarville, O. 1-22.

FOR SALE—Shropshire ewes, 20 yearlings, seven lambs. E. S. Davidson. 363-W-3 Bell. 1-22.

FOR SALE—All kinds of cook stoves, wood or coal also gas ranges and gasoline stoves. All kinds of stove repairs. Andy Pfhof, second hand store, Third street, two doors west of Detroit. 4-8-T.

FOR SALE—138 acres, \$110 per acre. D. McConnell, agent. Xenia, Ohio, Atlas Hotel. 1-21.

HOUSE of six room for sale. \$50 cash, balance ten dollars monthly. Barbine, Allen Building, Xenia. Both phones. 2-5-T.

REAL ESTATE and loans: notes bought. John Harbine, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, O. 2-11-T.

TOM C. LONG—Real estate and insurance. Will buy or sell your property, or loan you money. It will pay you to see me. Office 49 South Detroit St. Gazette Building. Both phones. 6-11-T.

JOHN W. PRUGH, "the Real Estate Man," will buy or sell your property. Money to loan. Twelve years successful business. A square deal. Office No. 6 North Detroit St. Both phones. 6-11-T.

ALTC Painting, tops repaired and curtain lights sewed in. David Sides over Fifer's Garage. 1-22.

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XENIA MARKETS

XENIA GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Corn, per bushel \$1.55
Oats, per bushel .70c
Wheat, per bushel \$2.12
Rye, per bushel \$1.40
Baled Timothy Hay \$25.00
Mixed Hay \$24.00
Clover Hay \$18.00
Clover Seed \$18.00
Straw .88c
Eggs, wholesale .45c
Eggs, retail .55c
Butter, retail .75c
Oleomargarine, retail .40c
Oleomargarine, wholesale .35c
Spring chickens, wholesale .21c
Spring chickens, retail .28c

XENIA LIVE STOCK

Corrected daily by Faukner & John.

HOGS.

Hogs, 165 lbs. up \$16.25
Light hogs \$12.00—15.00
Sows \$14.00

CATTLE.

Stags \$17.00@12.00
Good heifers \$7.00@7.50
Shipping steers \$9.00@10.00
Cows \$5.00@6.50

Bologna cows \$1.50@\$5.00

Veal calves \$14.00

Lambs \$12.00

Sheep \$8.00

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Shipping steers \$9.00@10.00

Butcher steers & heifers \$7.00@8.00

Cows \$6.00@6.50

Bologna cows \$4.50@5.00

Veal calves \$14.00@15.00

Spring lambs \$15.00

Sheep \$6.00—\$8.50

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Lambs \$12.00@14.00

Sheep \$8.00@10.00

DAYTON MARKETS

Wheat—No. 1, \$2.30
New Corn—\$2.10 per cwt.
Oats—70c per bu.
Rye—\$1.40 per bu.

HOGS

Hogs—Receipts 5 cars. Market steady.

Choice heavies \$17.25@17.35

Select butchers and packers \$17.25@17.35

Heavy workers \$17.25@17.35

Light workers \$15.00@15.50

Pigs \$14.00@15.00

Choice fat sows \$15.00@16.00

Common to fair sows \$15.00@15.50

H. S. FACULTY GIVES DINNER FOR Y. M. C. A. WORKER AND BRIDE

With the tables arranged in triangular form, in delicate compliment to the honor guests, and in the midst of a pretty setting of pink and white, members of the faculty of Xenia High School were hosts and hostesses Friday evening, at a four course dinner honoring Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Patton, (Eleanor Tressler).

The dinner tables were laid in the High School library, and they were arranged to show the triangle of the Y. M. C. A., with which organization Mr. Patton is connected as an overseas secretary.

In the center of the triangle, a pedestal held a basket filled with pink and white roses, and pink candles decked the tables.

Girls of the cooking class of the High School prepared the dinner under the direction of their teacher, Miss Ruth Kyle, and the girls served the courses, Miss Kyle taking her place at the table.

The occasion was unusually enjoyable and delightfully informal. The guests greatly enjoyed Mr. Patton's account of his work overseas, and his talk was interspersed with many amusing little anecdotes and personal experiences.

In behalf of the faculty, Miss Jean Elwell presented to Mrs. Patton two sterling silver tea spoons. Miss Elwell made the presentation after reciting a merry jingle of limericks. Mrs. Patton made a pretty response in accepting the gifts.

There were covers for twenty-two at the dinner, married members of the faculty being accompanied by their wives.

EVIDENCE THAT THE PRICE OF COAL IS REGULATED

Evidence of the fact that the U. S. Fuel Commission at Washington has held down coal operators to legal prices, whenever sufficient proof was found to show a violation, is shown by a little transaction one day this week, when H. L. Smith, as chairman of the County Fuel Committee, turned over to the United War Work Fund, two dollars and fifty cents, in a case where a coal operator had overcharged a local dealer, fifty-nine dollars and forty-five cents on nearly four hundred tons of coal. When discovered by the U. S. Fuel Commission, the operator was ordered to refund to the local dealer, the above overcharge (\$59.45) and the local dealer to refund to purchasers of said coal the amounts due each. The local dealer succeeded in identifying all the purchasers except a few who had bought in small amounts, leaving but two dollars and fifty cents unaccounted for. Upon receipt of the report of the distribution, the U. S. Fuel Commission directed the local dealer to turn the balance over to the County Fuel Committee, to be by the latter paid to some active war organization.

How many other refiners the same operator was compelled to make in other parts of the country, or what fine was imposed under the U. S. Fuel Act, we are not advised.

Matters of Mathematics.
A woman whose hobby was the psychology and the esthetic influence of colors, was deeply gratified one morning when her husband admitted that there might be something in her theory after all. "Dawson told me something today, which seemed to go to prove it," he said. "Dawson" questioned Mrs. Madison, amazed, for Dawson was the manager of her husband's stables. "Yes; he says the bays eat more than the grays," "Really? How does he account for it?" "Why, there are ten more bays than grays."

LUMBER DEALER PAYS TRIBUTE TO NERV-WORTH

Hopes That Other Sufferers Will Profit by His Happy Experience.

The desire to pass good news along has moved a multitude of grateful Nerv-Worth users not merely to utter praise in writing but to consent to publication. Note that this well-known lumber dealer "cheerfully" does both in a spirit of helpfulness.

The Troupe Drug Co.—For three years I have suffered from stomach and digestive troubles. Constipation—and bowel in bad shape. Had kidney, and bladder trouble. Could not get anything to correct these ailments. I purchased two bottles of Nerv-Worth from you and took them as directed and can now say that the complaints mentioned have left me and I am feeling fine and in my normal and vigorous condition. I most cheerfully make this statement hoping that others afflicted as I was may get permanent relief.

J. S. PRICE,
1129 Garfield Ave., Springfield, O.
The Sayre & Hemphill Drug Store sells Nerv-Worth in Xenia. Your dollar back if this family tonic does not benefit you.

Talk with Demonstrator Brown (at Sayre & Hemphill's) about Nerv-Worth. He freely dispenses sample doses.

XENIANS INTERESTED IN ANNOUNCEMENT

Xenia friends of Miss Virginia Wright of Troy, formerly of this city, are interested in announcement that her marriage to Lieutenant Howard D. Meincke of Chicago, is to take place at Troy Saturday. The engagement of the young couple had been kept secret and announcement that they were to be married caused much surprise in Troy. The Troy News announced the approaching nuptials thus:

News of an approaching event, which it had been intended to withhold until it had taken place, has leaked out and Thursday it became for you in selling that old furniture.

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Facts Concerning the Water Rates

The information which follows has been gathered within the past few months for the purpose of comparing the water service here with that of other similar places. The only factor governing the selection of towns was population. No other thing was considered, so that the figures and facts which follow are representative and perfectly fair. These figures are the result of questionnaires sent out to a number of towns and from facts gathered from the office of the State Statistician at Columbus, Ohio.

Stars (*) that appear in the table below mean Free—no cost to the city for public service. Xenia pays \$15,000.00 a year for service that most of the towns get free or for a very small cost.

NAME OF CITY	Source of Supply	Present value of entire plant	Total public service charge,*	Cost of water for fire protection per quarter	Cost of 40,000 gal. in a year	Lowest rate per 1,000 gal.	Per Capita Charges	Total public service charge	REMARKS	
									Gross returns	Fire protection
Xenia, Ohio (P)	Wells and Springs	\$260,000.00	\$13,800.00	\$15,000.00	\$12,96	\$15.9	\$29.00	\$ 5.50	1.53	\$ 1.70
Aberdeen, South Dakota (M)	Artesian Wells	224,500.00	1885	*	5.90	.06	13.50	1.30	*	*
Fostoria, Ohio (M)	Reservoir		1892	*	7.90	.07	2.68	*	*	
Emporia, Kansas (M)	River	400,000.00	1885	1,500.00	7.25	.06	40.00	4.60	*	15
Corsicana, Texas (M)	Artesian Wells	160,000.00	1895	6,325.00	16.00	.20	12.00	2.36	*	45
Iola, Kansas (M)	River	123,000.00	1900	*	6.23	.04 1/2	12.30	4.45	*	Consumers rate should be reduced and added public service
Hastings, Nebraska (M)	Wells	250,000.00		7,845.00	9.10	.13	20.00	3.30	.58	.62
Westerly, Rhode Island (M)	Wells	350,000.00	1897	3,578.00	10.00	.10	35.00	4.20	.35	New pump stations and pumps in 1897.
Ludington, Michigan (M)	Lake	200,000.00	1881	6,000.00	8,000.00	.10	20.00	2.50	.60	.80
Rahway, New Jersey (M)	River	350,000.00	1871	*	.06		35.00	4.52	*	
East Cleveland, Ohio (P-M)	From City of Cleveland			4,400.00	4.30	.10 7		.18		Bought for 7.8c per 1,000 gal.; deliv. 3.7, t. 11c per 1,000
Monmouth, Illinois (M)	Deep Wells	300,000.00	1890	*	14.00		30.00	2.50	*	*
Junction City, Kansas (M)	Wells	200,000.00	1887	4,550.00	8,550.00	.05	25.00	3.70	.57	1.00 Normal times no public service charge, and \$8,000 profit.
Fort Scott, Kansas (M)	River and 2 Deep Well	259,500.00	1882	6,120.00	10.00	.09	21.00	2.65	.50	.50
Kewanee, Illinois (M)	Deep Wells	395,000.00	1917	8,550.00	10,000.00	.16	23.00	1.50		58. A deficit Consumption.
Granite City, Illinois (P)	River		1892	4,840.00	5,300.00	.08		.27		30. Drinking fountains are free service.
Hopkinsville, Kentucky (P)	Wells and Spring		1885	2,400.00	1,500.00	.06	2.70	.24	.25	
Sanford, Maine (P)	Wells	300,000.00	1888	11,280.00	12,000.00	.10	33.00	1.24	1.30	
Delaware, Ohio (P)	Wells and Springs	150,000.00	1889	4,800.00	6,066.00	.08	19.00	2.75	.44	.55
Tyler, Texas (M)	Impounding Reservoir	150,000.00	1917	*	*		19.00		*	*
Defiance, Ohio (M)	River	150,000.00	1888	*	12.00	.08	16.60		*	*
St. Charles, Missouri, (M)	River	150,000.00	1901	*	6.00	.08	15.00	2.50	*	*
Abilene, Kansas (M)	Springs	80,000.00	1897	3,000.00	3,500.00	.05	16.00	4.40	.60	.70
Herrington, Kansas (M)	Springs	90,000.00	1914	1,500.00	1,700.00	.08	19.00	2.50	.30	.34
Albuquerque, New Mexico (M)	Wells	400,000.00	1885	5,313.00	12,000.00	.15	22.00	4.20	.29	.29
Pomona, California (P)	Wells	500,000.00	1896	1,200.00	6,000.00	.16	31.00	4.95	*	.08 Parks at 3c per 1,000 gallons; schools at 4c per 1,000.
Clarksville, Tennessee (M)	River	200,000.00	1912	*	10.00	.12 1/2	20.00	2.00	*	Water for school at cost.
Brunswick, Georgia (P)	Wells	1880	4,054.00	4,500.00				1.50	.16	.17
Arkansas City, Arkansas (M)	Wells	200,000.00	1880	*	7.20	.06	18.00		*	*
Chickasha, Oklahoma (P)	River	240,000.00	1904	*	7.20	.05	16.00	3.15	*	*
Santa Ana, California (M)	Wells	1915	*	5.20	.03		3.00		*	*
Goshen, Indiana (M)	Wells	220,000.00	1870	2,060.00	4,542.00	.05	22.00	3.04	.20	.45
Bellevue, Ohio (M)	Wells	1884	*	6.00	.10		2.40		*	Excess revenue of \$2,700.00.
Billings, Montana (M)	River	500,000.00	1883	*	8.00	.05	28.00	5.12	*	Excess revenue of \$7,100.00.
Ashland, Wisconsin (P)	Lake	480,000.00	1884	24,445.00	26,000.00	.06	24.00	5.30	.17	1.80 Cost to private consumers too low in proportion to charge for public service.
Anaconda, Montana, (P)	Mountain Stream		5,000.00	5,000.00				.33	.33	
Barre, Vermont, (M)	Deep Wells	390,000.00	1887	2,860.00	3,600.00	.08	39.00	2.90	.26	.33 Gravity flow. No pumping charge.
Virginia, Minnesota, (M)			1892	*	7.60	.10				